

APPLEGATE CITES CIA

Norman Ross at 6:20 P.M. over WABC (chicago):

Richard Applegate Substituted for Norman Ross.

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Mr. Applegate was discussing the way the Russians reported the U-2 plane incident.

"Now at first they said that Eisenhower didn't have anything to do with it. Just the sneaky CIA of Allen Dulles, probably going against the wishes of the American President. Khrushchev knew, in fact, that Ike couldn't have known because hadn't he promised to talk peace?"

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"I remember my own complete astonishment when I found out from a Russian newspaper that the CIA, which is America's Central Intelligence Agency, which Allen Dulles now runs, was pulling strings for the communist murder of Beria, who was head of the Russian secret police.

"The CIA never did take its share of the bows for getting an agent so close to Stalin. How they did it was to look moderately pleased, according to the Russians, that Beria got out in the open and got himself shot. It was all pretty slimy."